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Subject: Maximum temperature is likely to fall by 2-5°C over northwest adjoining central India during next 2-3days.

i.Realised weather during past 24 hours till 08 30 hours IST of today, the 27th March 2025 (Annexure I):

- ❖ Heavy rainfall recorded at isolated places over Tamil Nadu.
- ❖ **Squally/Gusty winds** prevailed at isolated locations over Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarahad.
- For more details of realised weather, kindly refer Annexure I

Temperature:

❖ Temperature observations during past 24 hours till 0830 hours IST of today are provided in **Annexure II.**

ii. Weather Systems, Forecast and Warnings (Annexure III & IV):

- ❖ A Western Disturbance as a trough in lower to upper tropospheric levels runs roughly along Long. 62°E to the north of Lat. 25°N. A cyclonic circulation lies over central Pakistan & neighbourhood and another over northeast Assam in lower tropospheric levels. Under their influence:
- ✓ **Isolated to scattered** light/moderate rainfall accompanied with **thunderstorm**, **lightning & gusty winds (40-50 kmph)** likely over Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad and accompanied with **thunderstorm**, **lightning** over Uttarakhand, Himachal Pradesh on 27th March.
- ✓ **Scattered to fairly widespread** light/moderate rainfall accompanied with **thunderstorm, lightning** likely over Arunachal Pradesh, Assam & Meghalaya, Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim on 28th & 29th March.
- ✓ **Strong Surface winds (25-35 kmph)** very likely at isolated places over Punjab, West Uttar Pradesh, Haryana, Chandigarh on 27th & 28th March.
- ✓ Dust raising winds (20-30 kmph) very likely at isolated places over West Rajasthan on 27th & 28th March.
- ✓ **Heavy rainfall/snowfall** likely at isolated places over Arunachal Pradesh on 28th & 29th March.
- ❖ A north-south trough runs from north Madhya Maharashtra to north Kerala across interior Karnataka in lower tropospheric levels. Under its influence:
- ✓ **Isolated to scattered** light/moderate rainfall accompanied with **thunderstorm**, **lightning & gusty winds (speed 30-50 kmph)** likely over Madhya Maharashtra, North Interior Karnataka on 29th & 30th, Konkan & Goa on 29th; Marathawada on 30th; Kerala & Mahe, South Interior Karnataka during 27th -31st; Coastal Karnataka, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam on 27th, 30th & 31st March.

Temperature Forecast:

- ❖ Gradual fall in maximum temperatures by 3-5°C likely over Northwest India during next 3 days and rise by 2-3°C thereafter.
- ❖ Gradual rise in maximum temperatures by 2-3°C likely over East India during next 2 days and no significant change thereafter.
- ❖ No significant change in maximum temperatures over Gujarat state during next 3 days and rise by 2-3°C thereafter.
- ❖ Gradual fall in maximum temperatures by 2-3°C likely over Central India during next 3 days and no significant change thereafter.

Heat wave and Hot & Humid weather warning:

- **❖** Heat wave conditions very likely in isolated pockets of interior Odisha during 28th-30th March.
- **❖** Hot & humid weather conditions very likely to prevail in isolated pockets of Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam on 28th & 29th; coastal areas of Gujarat during 29th-31st March.
- iv. Weather conditions and forecast over Delhi/NCR during 27th March to 30th March. 2025 (Annexure V)

For more details, kindly refer National Weather Bulletin:

https://mausam.imd.gov.in/responsive/all_india_forcast_bulletin.php

For District wise warnings refer: https://mausam.imd.gov.in/responsive/districtWiseWarningGIS.php

ANNEXURE I

Significant weather reported during past 24 hours till 0830 hours IST of today:

- ❖ Light/moderate Rainfall observed at many places over Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad; at a few places over Kerala & Mahe; at isolated places over Himachal Pradesh, Arunachal Pradesh, Madhya Maharashtra, Tamilnadu Puducherry & Karaikal, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam and Karnataka.
- Thunderstorm reported at isolated locations over Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad, Madhya Maharashtra, Kerala & Mahe, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Coastal & North Interior Karnataka.

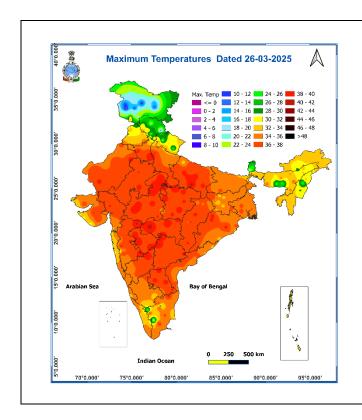
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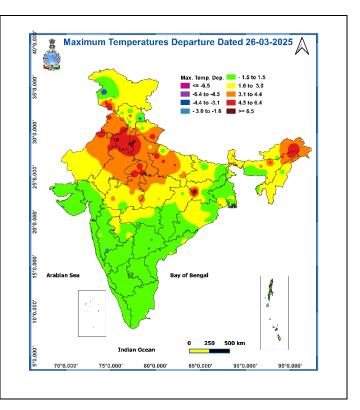
- **❖ Tamil Nadu:** Nilgiris-8, Valprai-1,
- ❖ Kerala: Vakkad (Malappuram district) & Urumi (Kozhikode district) 6 each, Punalur (Kollam district) 5, Kottayam, Parambikulam (Palakkad district), Ambalavayal & Karapuzha (both in Wayanad district) & Neryamangalam (Ernakulam district) 3 each, Jammu & Kashmir: Nowgam (dist Kupwara) 3, Bandipora (dist Bandipore) 2, Kupwara (dist Kupwara) 2, Gulmarg R.s. (dist Baramula) 2;
- ❖ North Interior Karnataka: Gadag-1.

- ❖ Yesterday, Maximum Temperatures has risen by 2-3°C over many parts of East Uttar Pradesh; at some parts of East Madhya Pradesh, Odisha, Gangetic West Bengal; at isolated places over Jharkhand by 1-2°C over many parts of West Madhya Pradesh; at a few places over West Madhya Pradesh, Western Himalayan region, Haryana Chandigarh, West Uttar Pradesh, East Rajasthan, Maharashtra, Telangana, Rayalaseema, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Tamilnadu Puducherry & Karaikal, Interior Karnataka. It had fallen by 2-4°C over many places over Gujarat state; by 1-2°C at few places over West Rajasthan; at isolated places over Konkan & Goa, Kerala & Mahe and no significant change of rest parts of the country.
- Maximum Temperatures were in the range of 39-41°C over few parts of Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra; at isolated places over Uttar Pradesh, Haryana Chandigarh & Delhi, northeast Rajasthan, Odisha, Telangana, North Interior Karnataka, Rayalaseema; 35-38°C over many parts of West Rajasthan, Gangetic West Bengal, Tamilnadu Puducherry & Karaikal; at a few places over Gujarat Region; at isolated places over Bihar, Kerala & Mahe, Jharkhand. (Fig.1)
- ❖ Maximum Temperatures were markedly above normal (5.1°C or more) at many places over Haryana Chandigarh-Delhi; at isolated places over Punjab, Rajasthan, West Madhya Pradesh, Arunachal Pradesh, Assam & Meghalaya, Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan Muzaffarabad; appreciably above normal (3.1°C to 5.0°C) at many places over East Uttar Pradesh; at a few places over Uttarakhand; at isolated places over East Madhya Pradesh; above normal (1.6°C to 3.0°C) at many places over Himachal Pradesh, Sub Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura, Bihar, Vidarbha; at a few places over Odisha, Marathwada; at isolated places over Gangetic West Bengal, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Madhya Maharashtra, Gujarat Region. These were below normal (-3.0°C to -1.6°C) at isolated places over Telangana and near normal over rest parts of the country (Fig. 2). Yesterday, the highest maximum temperature of 42.0°C was reported at Akola (Vidarbha) over the country.

Fig. 1: Maximum Temperatures

Fig. 2: Departure of Maximum Temperatures

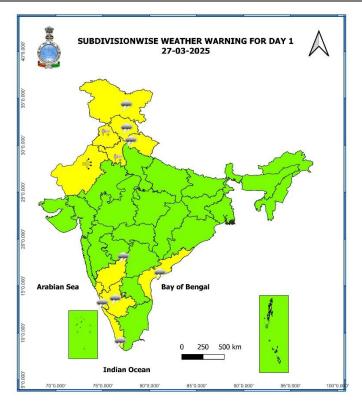


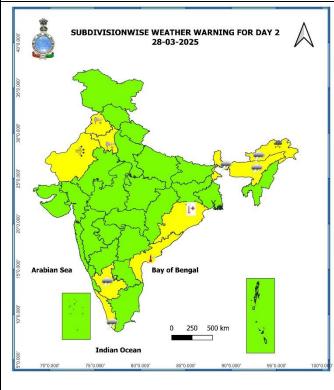


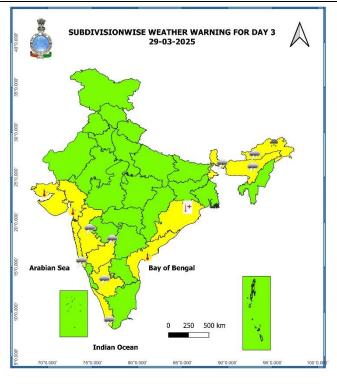
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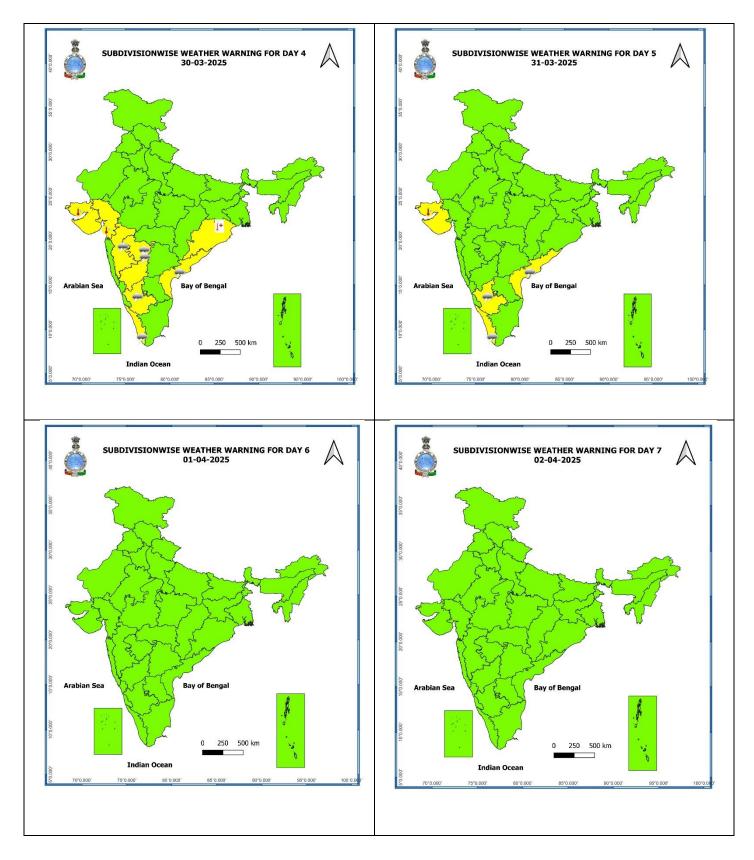
7 Days Rainfall Forecast										
S. No.	Subdivision	27-Mar	28-Mar	29-Mar	30-Mar	31-Mar	01-Apr	02-Apr		
		Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6	Day 7		
1	ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	SCT	FWS		
2	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	ISOL	FWS	FWS	SCT	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL		
3	ASSAM & MEGHALAYA	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	DRY	DRY		
4	NAGALAND, MANIPUR, MIZORAM & TRIPURA	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL		
5	SUB-HIMALAYAN WEST BENGAL & SIKKIM	ISOL	SCT	SCT	ISOL	ISOL	DRY	DRY		
6	GANGETIC WEST BENGAL	DRY								
7	ODISHA	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL		
8	JHARKHAND	DRY								
9	BIHAR	DRY								
10	EAST UTTAR PRADESH	DRY								
11	WEST UTTAR PRADESH	DRY								
12	UTTARAKHAND	ISOL	ISOL	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY		
13	HARYANA CHANDIGARH & DELHI	DRY								
14	PUNJAB	ISOL	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY		
15	HIMACHAL PRADESH	SCT	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY		
16	JAMMU & KASHMIR AND LADAKH	FWS	ISOL	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY		
17	WEST RAJASTHAN	DRY								
18	EAST RAJASTHAN	DRY								
19	WEST MADHYA PRADESH	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL		
20	EAST MADHYA PRADESH	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL		
21	GUJARAT REGION	DRY								
22	SAURASHTRA & KUTCH	DRY								
23	KONKAN & GOA	ISOL	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL		
24	MADHYA MAHARASHTRA	ISOL								
25	MARATHAWADA	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL		
26	VIDARBHA	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL		
27	CHHATTISGARH	DRY								
28	COASTAL ANDHRA PRADESH & YANAM	ISOL	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL		
29	TELANGANA	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL		
30	RAYALASEEMA	ISOL	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY		
31	TAMILNADU PUDUCHERRY & KARAIKAL	ISOL	ISOL	DRY	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL		
32	COASTAL KARNATAKA	ISOL	DRY	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL		
33	NORTH INTERIOR KARNATAKA	ISOL	DRY	ISOL	ISOL	DRY	ISOL	ISOL		
34	SOUTH INTERIOR KARNATAKA	ISOL								
35	KERALA & MAHE	SCT	SCT	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	ISOL	SCT		
36	LAKSHADWEEP	DRY								

[•] As the lead period increases forecast accuracy decreases.









- Action may be taken based on ORANGE AND RED COLOUR warnings.
- Vulnerable regions likely urban and hilly areas action may be initiated for heavy rainfall warning.
- As the lead period increases forecast accuracy decreases.

Detailed district wise Multi Hazard weather warning for next five days available at https://mausam.imd.gov.in/responsive/districtWiseWarningGIS.php

Weather forecast over Delhi/NCR during 27th Mar. to 30th Mar. 2025

Past Weather:

There has been a rise in minimum and maximum temperatures upto 02°C over Delhi/NCR during the past 24 hours. The maximum and minimum temperatures over Delhi are in the range of 35 to 40°C and 17 to 21°C respectively. The minimum temperature was above normal upto 04°C and maximum temperature above normal upto 07°C at most places. Mainly clear sky conditions with predominant surface wind from the southwest/east direction with wind speeds less than 10 to 12 kmph prevailed during the past 24 hours. Mainly clear sky conditions with wind speed less than 12 kmph from the southwest direction prevailed over the region in the forenoon today.

Weather Forecast:

27.03.2025: Partly cloudy sky. Strong surface winds (speed 20 - 30 kmph) occasionally gusting to 35 kmph. The maximum temperature over Delhi is likely to be in the range of 35 to 37°C. The predominant surface wind will likely be from the northwest direction with a wind speed of less than 20 kmph till evening. It would increase thereafter becoming less than 24 kmph from the northwest direction during the night.

28.03.2025: Mainly clear sky. Strong surface winds (speed 20 – 30 kmph) occasionally gusting to 35 kmph. The maximum and minimum temperatures over Delhi are likely to be in the range of 33 to 35°C and 17 to 19°C respectively. The predominant surface wind will likely be from the northwest direction with a wind speed of 12-14 kmph during morning hours. The wind speed will gradually increase thereafter becoming 18-20 kmph from the northwest direction during the afternoon. It will increase becoming less than 24 kmph from the northwest direction during evening and night.

29.03.2025: Partly cloudy sky. Strong surface winds (speed 20 - 30 kmph). The maximum and minimum temperatures over Delhi are likely to be in the range of 32 to 34°C and 15 to 17°C respectively. The predominant surface wind will likely be from the northwest direction with a wind speed of 16-18 kmph during morning hours. The wind speed will gradually increase becoming 18-20 kmph from the northwest direction in the afternoon. It will decrease becoming less than 14 kmph from the northwest direction during evening and night.

30.03.2025: Mainly clear sky. The maximum and minimum temperatures over Delhi are likely to be in the range of 34 to 36°C and 15 to 17°C respectively. The predominant surface wind will likely be from the northwest direction with a wind speed of 10-12 kmph during morning hours. The wind speed will gradually increase becoming 14-16 kmph from the northwest direction in the afternoon. It will decrease becoming less than 12 kmph from the northwest direction during evening and night.

Legends & abbreviations:

- **♦ Heavy Rain:**64.5-115.5mm; **Very Heavy Rain:**115.6-204.4mm; **Extremely Heavy Rain:** >204.4mm.
- ❖ Obsy: Observatory; AWS: Automatic Weather Station; ARG: Automatic Rain Gauge; dist: District: NH: National Highway; KVK: Krishi Vigyan Kendra; DVC: Damodar Valley Corporation; PTO: Part Time Office, Aero: Aerodrome, IAF: Indian Air Force.
- **Region** wise classification of meteorological Sub-Divisions:
 - Northwest India: Western Himalayan Region (Jammu-Kashmir-Ladakh-Gilgit-Baltistan-Muzaffarabad, Himachal Pradesh and Uttarakhand); Punjab, Haryana-Chandigarh-Delhi; West Uttar Pradesh, East Uttar Pradesh, West Rajasthan and East Rajasthan.
 - Central India: West Madhya Pradesh, East Madhya Pradesh, Vidarbha and Chhattisgarh.
 - East India: Bihar, Jharkhand, Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim; Gangetic West Bengal, Odisha and Andaman & Nicobar Islands.
 - Northeast India: Arunachal Pradesh, Assam & Meghalaya and Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura.
 - West India: Gujarat Region, Saurashtra & Kutch, Konkan & Goa, Madhya Maharashtra and Marathawada.
 - South India: Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Telangana, Rayalaseema, Coastal Karnataka, North Interior Karnataka, South Interior Karnataka, Kerala & Mahe, Tamil Nadu, Puducherry & Karaikal and Lakshadweep.



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4. नागालैंड, मणिपुर, मिजोरम और त्रिपुरा 5. उप-हिमालयी पश्चिम बंगाल और सिक्किम

6. गंगीय पश्चिम बंगाल



8. झारखंड

9. बिहार

10. पूर्वी उत्तर प्रदेश

11. पश्चिम उत्तर प्रदेश

12. उत्तराखंड

13. हरियाणा, चंडीगढ़ और दिल्ली

14. पंजाब

15. हिमाचल प्रदेश

16. जम्मू और कश्मीर और लद्दाख

17. पश्चिम राजस्थान

18. पूर्वी राजस्थान

19. पश्चिम मध्य प्रदेश

20. पूर्वी मध्य प्रदेश

21. गुजरात

22. सौराष्ट्र

23. कोंकण और गोवा

24. मध्य महाराष्ट्र

25. मराठवाड़ा

26. विदर्भ

27. छत्तीसगढ़

28. तटीय आंध्र प्रदेश और यनम

29. तेलंगाना

30. रायलसीमा

31. तमिलनाडु, पुडुचेरी और कराईकल

32. तटीय कर्नाटक

33. आतंरिक उत्तरी कर्नाटक

Sust Raising Winds

34. आतंरिक दक्षिणी कर्नाटक

35. केरल और माहे

36. लक्षद्वीप



2. Arunachal Pradesh

3. Assam & Meghalaya

4. Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura

5. Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim

6. Gangetic West Bengal

7. Odisha

8. Jharkhand

9. Bihar

10. East Uttar Pradesh

11. West Uttar Pradesh

12. Uttarakhand

13. Haryana, Chandigarh & Delhi

14. Puniab

15. Himachal Pradesh

16. Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh

17. West Rajasthan

18. East Rajasthan

19. West Madhya Pradesh

20. East Madhya Pradesh

21. Gujarat

22. Saurashtra

23. Konkan & Goa

24. Madhya Maharashtra

25. Marathwada

26. Vidarbha

27. Chhattisgarh

28. Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam

29. Telangana

30. Rayalaseema

31. Tamilnadu, Puducherry & Karaikal

32. Coastal Karnataka

33. North Interior Karnataka

34. South Interior Karnataka

35. Kerala & Mahe

36. Lakshadweep

SPATIAL DISTRIBUTION (% of Stations reporting)

% Stations	Category	% Stations	Category
76-100	Widespread (WS/Most Places)	26-50	Scattered (SCT/A Few Places)
51-75	Fairly Widespread (FWS/Many Places)	1-25	Isolated (ISOL)



Strong Surface Winds

Probability of Occurrence (%) Very Likely 50 - 75 Most Likely > 75





DEFINITION/CRITERIA Heavy: 64.5 to 115.5 mm/cm * Very Heavy: 115.6 to 204.4 mm/cm Rain/ Snow * Extremely Heavy: > 204.4 mm/cm When maximum temperature of a station reaches ≥40° C for plains and ≥30° C for hilly regions (a) Based on Departure from normal Heat Wave: Maximum Temperature Departure from normal 4.5° C to 6.4° C. Severe Heat Wave: Maximum Temperature Departure from normal ≥6.5° C (b). Based on Actual maximum temperature **Heat Wave** Heat Wave: When actual maximum temperature ≥45°C Severe Heat Wave: When actual maximum temperature ≥47°C (c). Criteria for heat wave for coastal stations When maximum temperature departure is >4.5°C from normal. Heat Wave may be described provided maximum temperature ≥37°C When maximum temperature remains 40°C Warm Night: When minimum temperature departure 4.5 °C to 6.4 °C. **Warm Night** Severe Warm Night: When minimum temperature departure >6.4 °C. When minimum temperature of a station ≤10°C for plains and ≤0°C for hilly regions. (a). Based on departure Cold Wave: Minimum Temperature Departure from normal -4.5 °C to -6.4 °C. Severe Cold Wave: Minimum Temperature Departure from normal \leq -6.5 °C **Cold Wave** (b) Based on actual Minimum Temperature (for Plains only) Cold Wave : When Minimum Temperature is ≤ 4.0 °C Severe Cold Wave: When Minimum Temperature is ≤ 2.0 °C (c) For Coastal Stations When Minimum Temperature departure is ≤-4.5 °C & actual Minimum Temperature is ≤ 15 °C When minimum temperature of a station ≤10°C for plains and ≤0°C for hilly regions Based on departure **Cold Day** Cold Day: Maximum Temperature Departure from normal -4.5 °C to -6.4 °C. Severe Cold Day: Maximum Temperature Departure from normal ≤ -6.5 °C Phenomenon of small droplets suspended in air and the horizontal visibility < 1km Moderate Fog: When the visibility between 500-200 metres Dense Fog: when the visibility between 50- 200 metres Fog Very Dense Fog: when the visibility < 50 metres Sudden electrical discharges manifested by a flash of light (Lightning) and a sharp rumbling sound (thunder) Thunderstorm **Dust/Sand** An ensemble of particles of dust or sand energetically lifted to great heights by a strong and turbulent wind. Ice deposits on ground Frost Air temperature ≤4°C (over Plains) A strong wind that rises suddenly, lasts for atleast 1 minute. Moderate: Wind speed 52-61 kmph Squall Severe: Wind speed 62-87 kmph Very Severe: Wind speed >87 kmph Effect of various waves in the sea over specific area Rough to very rough: Wind speed 41-62 kmph (22-33 knots) & Wave height 2.5-6 metre Sea State High to very high: Wind speed 63-117 kmph (34-63 knots) & Wave height 6-14 metre Phenomenal: Wind speed >117 kmph (>63 knots) & Wave height >14 metre Cyclonic Storm: Wind speed 62-87 kmph (34-47 knots) Severe Cyclonic Storm: Wind speed 88-117 kmph (48-63 knots) Very Severe Cyclonic Storm: Wind speed 118-165 kmph (64 - 89 knots) Extremely Severe Cyclonic Storm: Wind speed 166-220 kmph (90 -119 knots) Cyclone Super Cyclone Strom: Wind speed >220 kmph (>119 knots)

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Hot and Humid: When maximum temperatures remain 3°C above normal along with the above normal relative humidity.